THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE V.V.S.RAO

WRIT PETITION No.17247 OF 2006

DATED 18th SEPTEMBER, 2006

BETWEEN

Khaja Mohiuddin Kureshi and another

… Petitioners

and

The A.P.State Wakf Board, rep.by its Secretary/Special Officer, Hyderabad and another.

… Respondents

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ORDER:

The petitioners are sons of late Mohammed Yakub, who was appointed as Mutawalli for Police Line Mosque, Kurnool, vide proceedings, dated 17.01.1984 of the first respondent. He died on 22.07.2006. Therefore, the petitioners allegedly made representation on 07.08.2006 to the Special Officer of the first respondent requesting to appoint them as Mutawalli of the Mosque, in vain. Therefore, they filed the present writ petition.

At the stage of admission itself, the learned standing counsel for A.P.State Wakf Board submits that the representation made by the petitioners is not received in the Office of the first respondent. He also submits that by proceedings, dated 22.08.2006, nine persons have been appointed as Members of the Managing Committee under Section 18 of the Wakf Act, 1995. Learned counsel for the petitioners has produced the consignment note of the courier and other documents, which do not support clearly the allegation that such representation was made. Be that as it is, the petitioners may now make a representation afresh to the first respondent within a period of one week from the date of receipt of copy of this order. As and when such representation is made, the claim of the petitioners for being appointed as Mutawalli of Police Line Mosque may be considered and appropriate orders may be passed in accordance with law within a period of four weeks from the date of receipt of representation.

The writ petition is accordingly disposed of. No costs.

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(V.V.S.RAO,J)

18.09.2006.

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